## A MARGIN.

Ten thousand dollars is a margin that's di-But let the market drop a point and then there's only nine.

birds and thrushes sang in the elms. another. My trunk was packed for my sugar, one cupful of milk, one cupful of butter, one-half teaspoonful of soda,

They spread reports and rumors start, spring all the well-known tricks.

Ent "nacy good," with heavy hearts they see H drop to six.

If drop to six.

The little large beholds the stake reduced to only five.

The little large beholds the stake reduced to with loud reductance, that Harry He says that Wall street is a fraud, votes ev- was noted for the excellence of its Harland, in Youth's Companion.

Now, most with race, he wildly swears the had a temper of his own, although he

The broker smiles a glastly smile, the margin crops to two.

-N. Y. Sunday Financial Chronicle.

## A SOCIAL SURPRISE.

"Early this morning," the taller of morning, Mr. Johnson!" the pair was saying. "I was sitting the admitted himself with his latch-studying behind the blinds of the front key, and found his devoted (and wid-pebble was produced and handed over

ske goes, began Clara.

almost bromed her:

"The remail' said Chara. But, poor fellow! he can't be called a responsible being, I suppose. I'll go to the doctor.

Amy was sleeping with her mother, and alarmed the house. Dr. Sargent azure, like the Italian sky sung of by the pourts was observable. No flaw The narrator paused portentously.

up my bedroug, when Dr. Sargent and time.

for full a monet. Harry never lifted his praved nature. townspeople stare more than usual to-day product of the court of the c went up the bill loward home.

"It is odd how things drift to me! itation in it all. I sit still, and irag-The only tal of I display is in fitting lies. the mosair bit together. As you say, I

door, and helped out his married slater, to the platform, and turned to give her closely velled. She moved feebly, rest the deless blackmass of the crape tell bowel brother.

for heart the behy! He's named for heart Sabbath Mrs. Jaynes' Denne I should think they would feel like changing that how.

Any's cheeks were wet with tears as she stood on the platform to wave a farewell at the window from which Baby Harry's feer stelled at her. Her brother silengs, dress her hand, into his many waited to speak to her in the year. brother silent's draw her hand into his many waited to speak to her in the ves- out and offered to buy the old horse, to brother silently draw her hand into his many watted to speak to her in the vestigation and her left over and believe way. Her pallor and ber left over and temple. depression were noticed that day at her left eye and temple. school by others bands the knowing Excitement mounted to fever heat. farmers is a good, long, hickory switch, seizod by others bands the knowing two who were in the possession of the Conjecture, assertion, condemnation, two who were in the possession of the Conjecture, assertion, condemnation, one man to hold the plow and a bey to use the switch, which is kept very busy. clue. The Principal inquired if she had corroborated and rebutted each other,

a headache, and the entire class saw and ran to a climax by Thursday afterthe girl's eyes fill us she replied in the noon. For at that time the Charitable mate. Clara Williams, offered an explanation of her surveyful aspect at replanation of her surveyful aspect at received a spect at received at the old form at received at the old

They needn't he to conceal the herself below stairs.

shameful truth." murmored Daisy in Harry and Amy insist that I am Murgha is a man or a place. But it's fathers of these same boys have won- Richard Grant White declares that no You may be an honest man, but I do Florry's car. How true that one sin quite presentable. I suppose that I getting late, so here goes."

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To the thoughtful student of inter-

Javnes left town on Wednesday morn- was safe and sound at home. Then I ng-the only persons in the "best filled baby's bottle and left it by him on circles" of the beautiful inland town of the pillow, and dropped asleep, quite Eastwood who had not caught some wearied out. Baby awoke at six, drank Jaynes' house, were Dr. Sargent, Harry aroused me by a whack on my eyebrow and Amy Jaynes.

nearly concerned. She'll bloom armin," but bloom she don't-by three o'clock it's eight.

the shaven lawns of which Eastwood a night and day with me at my sister's one-half teaspoonful of nutmeg, flour bloom armin, but bloom she don't-by was justly proud, and captured fat But Amy and her brother, like two fool-three o'clock it's eight. three o'clock it's eight.

slugs and squirming earth-worms for ish children, would call in Dr. Sargent ton Globe.

They take the drink, say "egad," and put their the home larder. Eastwood could not to make sure that no glass was left in Stead And watch the reviset stump and slump until there's only seven.

but be social under such skies. Dow-the cut.'
agers and maidens tripped along the

Fat slugs and unctious lumbrici were If drop to six.

Taint and sad and sorrowful and hardly half dry and insipid fare compared with the tid-bits rolled over and under busy Jayne's great-grandfather's wine-cellar And thinks he liquit quite satisfied to get away with four. A cousin twice removed had been a "high liver." Harry's father been a "high liver." Harry's father

had died in the odor of sanctity of ty-They wat some more, but 0, alas!—before the of the injuries sustained by the mother, dance awhile before the enraptured eyes for a short time. Where objection may The leaves get in their flendish work, and down ing to some the scalp was laid open ing to some the scalp was laid open in their flendish work, and down ing to some the scalp was laid open in their flendish work, and down ing to some the scalp was laid open in the ing to some the scalp was laid open across the forehead down to the bone. But the latter was not injured. The at-He's hasted flut for word is brought of margin there is the sees of the transaction in its only too often that a man sees riches careful experiments that the cooling of eye-witnesses of the transaction in its

The Evidence Picked Up by a Natural-Born Detective.

The Evidence Picked Up by a Natu Two girls were walking slowly along cated, and brought liquor home with him. A policeman had met him near resentative of the fourth estate, on enterthe elm shaded street of a country town. the station-carrying a heavy valise, and ing the Government building, was ap-

"I was not strong. Let us be accurate, at certitude by the statement: "That, sir, the loss of dramatic effect. He said is a sapphire of nearly thirty carats. In pay, and he can safely trust the laws of time. The way the Indians used to known that they regard the wild gin that he preferred brandy and water, form and quality it is excellent, and it breath. 'We've had an accident at our without thanking her for her goodness. Somewhat impressed, but still prehouse, and I'm going for the doctor.'

"Then I could not hear distinctly guarded until daylight. By this time marks the true councisseur, the scribe what she said, she spoke so fast. But I he was crazy with drink taken on an entered upon a careful examination of made out that somebody had been empty stomach. His mother's room the small stone, which was equivalent drank ag all night. He always takes a adjoined his. When he crept stealthily to so many reportorial pittances. It bottle to bed with him, she said, very into her apartment, she was sleeping was an oblong pebble, rounded as if by plainly. And again, Before mamma heavily, having wept for hours-poor attrition in a river's bed. Constant

tor's with your. And away they ran. was sent for. Amy ran for him herself, the poets, was observable. No flaw putting on her dress as she went. He was to be seen; in every respect it ap "Wolls" said the auditor.

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"Wolls" The repetition was impaJaynes off to a country relative, and the pride evident in the face of the tient. "Who is the only person in that Mrs. Deane went along to take care of exhibitor was easily pardoned by him the fam- tion, inflammation having supervened But as a cloud suddenly dims the blue ly to bit re ted in concealing? But upon concussion of the brain, the un-sky, so was the beauty of the gem

The ducts put his hand on his some face harmonized so well with his fortune. The owner looked blue as his chonsier, and miked low and seriously langel-voice, and not at all with his de- property, the crowd vanished, and the

amiss in my appearance?" "Now, Harry Wells. / am going to "You are a trifle better-looking than school by why of the station, to pick you are even on week-days, Sir Vanity," up mother link of circumstantial evi- rejoined Amy, with a fond glance. "It

is I who am the subject of remark, I lating to balky horses. I will give you Deby Pour goal are a natural-born think. I have not felt like myself since my receipt, which never fails—one that Wednesday morning."

At twenty-like minutes past eight they were at the station, and took their of any not unfeeling not I wish with the road. At the expiration of that time I put on the harness and hitch up, and the animal goes all pile of freight. At twenty-six minutes sand miles nearer. But when you mar-meals takes place. past eight a carriage drove up. Harry ry a fellow from the other side of the A farmer near me last summer had a man. He has at down, opened the globe, it will be a worse trial to me than nice, young, four-year old horse, which this is to you."

a purse and man. Then Amy stepped were fewer and more grave; curious long rest, when put to work again reglances bolder. The moral atmosphere | fused to draw. He tried him som was surcharged with suspicion and dis- days, and then told me that he was closed veiled. She moved feeld, resting on her of schoolder in alighting, and learning on her of schoolder in alighting, and learning on her daughter's arm when Harrs here of off retickets. Through the decise blue many of the grane veil bowed very slightly to sister and I saw him again, and he said that he

were a landage over the left eye, and their hears begins in f with horror and pily.

There's something wrong something wrong something with horror and pily.

Amy added, "I have a landage over the left eye, and where!" the young people agreed to one another. Amy added, "I have a balky horse. The simplest

Her bosom-friend and desk- Society was to meet with Mrs. Jaynes,

other by a mouthful of Assatic words.

"Has Mean daynes gone to St. Louis, of a such force," she said to force, and such force for such force, and such force, and such force, and such force for such force, and such force, too?' queried Florry.

Daisy pucked her indiscreet comrade, and Clara looked surprised at the foolish shame and get some one clse to take the meeting to-day."

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"Yessir."

"Run up to the house and tell my into contact with the boys on a farm. He has seen considerable of the world, since, and neither of us are out a cent."

"He has seen considerable of the world, since, and his the street more than they have, and his the street more than they have. and the ineeding to-all and the seem well for some weeks; a touch of malaria, the laughing, to touch the strip of flesh some weeks; a touch of malaria, the laughing to touch the strip of flesh to seem weeks; a touch of malaria, the laughing to touch the strip of flesh to seem t

doctor thinks. She has gone to the colored court-plaster that had riveted "All right, sir." ecolored court-plaster that had riveted every eye the moment she presented herself below stairs.

"All right, sir.

"Let me see. How had I best adfarmer's lad has received his first lesson in iniquity from such a teacher, yet the

that broke the bottle and left a bit of Explain and question as we may, it glass in the flesh. I would not have on the farm, says a wise adviser. Negis indisputable that enlightenment on believed that he could strike so hard.

lect of the little things makes many such matters comes last to those most "The blood flowed in torrents. Baby big loss in the farm economy. - N. Y. screamed, and so did L. Harry rushed It was glarious June weather. Blue- in from one side, Amy and Fanny from birds and thrushes sang in the elms. another. My trunk was packed for my the shaven lawns of which Eastwood a night and day with me at my sister's There was an embarrassing silence as

streets and around corners, and popped she ceased. Nine-and-thirty women, with bent heads and flushed cheeks, were sewing as if for life and reputa-Amy looked around in surprise an "Mamma, they don't find it half a

amusing as it appears to us!"-Marion A MINERALOGICAL MISTAKE Gorgeous Visions Rudely Shattered - I

was Only Glass. their pristine roughness. After sundry

awoke, he stole up to her bed and thing! He picked up a full brandy-contact with surrounding objects had bottle as he staggered in, and beat her whitened the outside, and but a faint

listen! After breakfast I was clearing happy lady would probably rally in dimmed by the sudden appearance of the iconoclastic m neralogist, who, no therry Jay bes walked down the street This simple, ungarbled statement content with admiring the color and and stopped at our corner for a few covered the whole ground. Christian size, tonst needs try it with cold steel. parting word. I dipped down stairs charity dictates that we should turn a The owner looked on scornfully, the get a nearer peep at my young gen- deaf ear to exaggerations and intem- reporter incredulously, the surrounding t chann. As I expected, his eyes were perate charges where character is at throng breathlessly, while the knife red and his face chalky. Now and then stake. blade scraped on the noble gem. The he put up has hands to his forehead. Harry Jaynes attended the choir-re-The first words I heard were: "I have heaval in the Second Church on Satur-ing in the Second Church on Saturday evening. He was sober, undoubt- denly, remarking in cruel accents That s not to be wondered at, said edly, and sang well—on Sunday, ad- "Glass," and strode scornfully away the dector. Teur mother's aches mirably—a full, sweet tenor that The sapphire had faded into a prosait warrant. What she wants is brought the tears to the eyes of three bit of broken bottle, or perhaps a relie old ladies and thirteen young ones. of the blue-glass mania that permeated the country is a foolish, awkthought of his poor dear mother. The rate its value had departed; a paltry The is and locky accident-hap-girls were moved with disinterested pity nickle formed a magnificent equivalent for the misguided youth whose hand- for what had erstwhile been equal to a

> click of the lock as the degraded jewel "Has it struck you that our esteemed was replaced was but a hollow mock-

> > The Proper Treatment to Cure Them the Hateful Vice. I often see inquiries and answers remake him move lively for ten minutes

worked steadily from spring till mid-By another Sunday, friendly faces summer; then the horse having had a followed my directions and the horse

"How pulled it and Amy and her siter I ack whispered Daisy. "See kim below pure a pooler into the ears and carrying the behavior of the school girls for a week past. Some are offish—others and carrying the behavior of the metal is patronizing."

On the part Sabbath Mrs. Larged have seen become formed a baye seen become formed. I

-Cor. Cultivator.

Wants a Fresh Dictionary.

USEFUL AND SUGGESTIVE. -The farmer is the prime producing power of all that is real in the wealth, whisper of the tragedy enacted in the the milk, crawled over into my bed, and strength and prosperity of a country.-San Francisco Chronicle. -Pay close attention to little things

> Examiner. Eggless Cookies: Two cupfuls of -Steady work does no harm to a ma-

posure, a team may labor the winter through with profit both to the owner and the animals.-Exchange. -There is milk and fat in apples Why not cover some of the landscapes, where hillsides and rock abound, with apple trees, and make them profitable

at a small cost. The thrifty man will say yes, and do it .- Detroit Post. -While kerosene will take the hair off a cow or horse, says the New York Tribune, it has no effect on swine, but assists to clean the skin nicely, though

within his grasp only to be again left in cows' legs by standing in a pool of cool The naked truth was hideous enough.

Young Jaynes had returned home from many others of a no less philosophic and minishes the milk secretions, so sensitive cows.

the long run good farming is sure to muskrat he prefers muskrat all the medicine can be gained when

SPRING SEEDING. The Treatment of Land Which Is to Be Devoted to Grass.

It is usual to sow grass-seed as early as possible so that the young plants may make a fair growth before the very make immense burrows, often running forty or lifty feet, in which there root, whose presence is unally revealed root, whose presence is unally revealed shaded and protected by the growing wheat. It is common to sow clover-

seed finds its way to the soil.

As a rule timothy and clover are used together, but no two grasses could be growth and periods of ripening. Fimothy is earlier than clover, but still the two crops must be moved together when grown upon the same field. The consequence is that either the timothy as a substitute for timothy, as it ripens not stirring around as much as during rated by many as the best remedy objection to orchard grass is its ten- more American. dency to grow in tussocks, but this may be partially avoided by care in sowing the seed evenly. It stands the drought well, and grows on nearly all kinds of

soil. As a pasture grass it ranks high, due to its beginning to grow very early in the season. One of the most frequent causes of Daisy Dorr, walking some paces in very simple: When a horse balks in a failure in securing good "catches" is advance, heard the last sentence and wagon, cart or carriage, I have him using an insufficient quantity of seed. There is some principle in almost successful the sight quaver in the tone. She keep an extensive variety of medicines, its the sight and transfer that the sight quaver in the tone. She keep an extensive variety of medicines, the sight and transfer that the sight quaver in the tone. She keep an extensive variety of medicines, the sight quaver in the tone. She keep an extensive variety of medicines, the sight quaver in the tone. aught, too, the beginning of the reply. taken out, his harness taken out, except the bridle, a boy or man put on the lessness in the use of seed. When it is sah. ments of proof are the wn into my lap. will happen in the best regulated familianimal's back, with instructions to considered that much of the seed sown Even a detective's cuoning loitering up and down the road. At the expira-tion of that time I put on the harness severe cold, birds and other causes, it is best to use an excess rather than too "I am not unfeeling, pet I wish, with right. It may have to be done once or little. If the amount of seed usually stand in an obscore corner behind a all my heart, that Fanny lived a thourowed in, there would be good crops of

clover secured where "catches" are now difficult. The best fertilizer for grass lands is s blue grass, meadow foxtail, white some grasses do not thrive on all classes | way, I wouldenter gin yer none o' de of soils, it will be found more advan- meat of I had or killed it. 'Fore yer tageous to rely principally on clover, talked dat way I woulder made yet timothy and orchard grass. Pasture present o' some o' de buck. See what land should be prepared by reducing it ver got by it, sah."—Arkansaw Tracto a fine condition, giving a good broadcasting of manure. Old pastures should not be plowed, but a good coating of manure, with reseeding, will prove beneficial. - Philadelphia Record.

HIRED MEN.

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The editor sat sadly at his desk. His were not hired. There are many grades "Why don't you do as I do? I have prised to see such emotion in such a

dered at their deviations from the paths matter how long a Cornwall or York- not feel safe with our money in an in-

Florry's cor. "How true that one sin leads to another"

Pary Porr's aunt. Mrs. Wodely borr's aunt. Mrs. Wodely was mortified at the accident, and very willing to bury myself in the count of the story leads on the leads to another will be wound healed. I charged farm to a shall the wound healed. I charged farm to be started on the started and the word was not will be word with first that day. Things drifted the word will be word to and so we will be word to and so we will be word to and so will be word to any the care of the solution of the solutio

THE MUSKRAT.

Habits of the Animal and How He Makes Himself Valuable to His Mortal Ene

The muskrat is a very dainty cater, cities, who has a wide practice as an street, between Jeanne and Bartholomew, and one of the swell members of the oculist and aurist, entered a drug store sufferer from kidney trouble (diabetes) for animal kingdom. He not only washes the other day and purchased a small the last six long and weary years. He himself before and after he eats, but he bottle of cocaine, the new anæsthetic said to us: "Even earlier than that I frewashes all his food and observes the used with such success in eye operrule of cleanliness with unvarying regu- ations. He said he had prescribed it no thought until about the time stated, larity. Personally he is a short- for a diseased ear. The tiny bottle half when the almost constant desire to make legged little animal, from twelve to fif- full of whitish powder cost him five water became unendurable. The pain in teen inches long, with a tail two-thirds dollars. the length of his body. He sports six "Provincial physicians in this counrows of side-whiskers, and he wears a try are very enterprising," said the in this city, and was under his constant scared, surprised sort of an expression druggist, when the doctor had gone out: treatment for one entire year without de-—Steady work does no harm to a master ture horse. If well fed, carefully on his rather homely face that makes him look as if at some time he had been cocaine in all sections of the country, guilty of some great crime. His dress and it is to many druggists a profitable

> of fare embraces roots, grasses, vegeta- supplied with a great variety of medibles, fruits and mussels. He can shuck a mussel as easily as a champlon shucker can handle an oyster. Somedruggist. "One day we had a call which, they said, was caused by diabetes, the continued the druggist. "One day we had a call which, they said, was caused by diabetes, they said, was caused by said they said, was caused by said they said, was caused by said they said times he eats meat, but this is rare. He is mainly a vegetarian. At this sea- rattlesnake virus. The doctor had been medicine. But they all turned out to be son, however, he goes rather heavy on called in to see a patient who was soon humbugs. I had given up all hopes of mussels, and, for evident reasons, he to die of cancer and who had taken always takes them raw. The uses of the muskrat are twofold. have but little effect. We did not have deriul cures that Peruna had made in Its hide is sold to furriers. Formerly, the medicine, but the next time I saw when muskrat was fashionable, the hides the doctor he said that he had obtained giving the name and address of each pereasily brought twenty-five or thirty it, and that twenty minutes after taking son treated. I called to see him; he at cents, but nowadays ten or fifteen cents a very low dilution of the virus the sufis all they are worth. As food the ex- ferer sank into a sweet sleep. The over three weeks ago. I am so much cellence of the meat depends altogether of the skinning and cooking. If the musk-bag is cut and the scent is impart, ed to the meat it becomes worthless. I cries. The poison of a bee, when appears the scent is some beneficial discovery of the meat it becomes worthless. I cries. The poison of a bee, when appears the scent is some beneficial discovery of the scent is impart, were fruitful of some beneficial discovery of the scent is impart, and some beneficial discovery of the scent is impart, and some beneficial discovery of the scent is impart, and so had not improve any more, I would not improve any more, I would not for any amount that I had not placed myself under his treatment. All my pain and stiffness in my legs has

asked a colored woman who is some-what noted for her success in making ticularly beneficial; but I know a doctor disappeared, and instead of making water muskrat palatable, how she treated the who claims wonders for it in cases of every fifteen minutes, I now make it once animal. She said she skinned it very scarlet fever. earefully; washed it well in fresh water; Their heads were close together, their rosy faces eager, their voices lowered to the pitch of confidential communication.

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They heads were close together, their voices lowered to fact, words were exchanged between to fact, words were exchanged between them. "The policeman said, "Good-them." The pol enough, hung it in the air so that it comes in the form of a coarse black goes steadily forward, producing crops served hot after the foregoing treat- a knowledge of many valuable remat the lowest possible cost, living eco-nomically and saving his surplus earn-The meat resembles the flesh of the parlor window, when Amy Jaynes came laways spoiled him from a boy. She had hot coffee ready. They do say right by our house.

They do say of the front parlor window, when Amy Jaynes came laways spoiled him from a boy. She had hot coffee ready. They do say of the squirrel. The gentleman, over had hot coffee ready. They do say of the squirrel whose kitchen the cook alluded to preside the prices of his products. In the long run good farming is sure to make the prices of the modicine can be gained when it models we have deed and named over ings by investing them in improvements upon his farm, he can snap his fingers as to its character, the recipient ejaculation. Somewhat undecided as to its character, the recipient ejaculation whose kitchen the cook alluded to preside the squirrel. They are the secret of their properties. So the long run good farming is sure to make the prices of his products. ings by investing them in improvements guinea, and tastes something like that upon his farm, he can snap his fingers of the squirrel. The gentleman, over as curiosities, they have refused to im-

> on coals or boil it with corn. ever, is a mere bagatelle compared with escape capture. Its guardians are the the sport on the marshes along the great tiger, wolf, leopard and snake. When rivers of the Chesapeake. They are a member of the royal family falls sick, around by hundreds and thousands. as did the Empress some time ago, a warm days of summer. The principal are nests of reeds, where the animals at night by a halo over the spot of congrass crop is clover, which is sown upon the wheat, the young clover being thus through the marsh hills; and frequently the water, rushing through these holes, cultivated ginseng, or jen shen, is not enlarge them until they assume danger- believed by the natives to be endowed ous proportions. Last winter a colored with the properties of the wild, but is seed without the use of a harrow for man along the Wicomico fell through used freely by the subjects. It is becovering, though a brush is sometimes one, got stuck in mud, and was passed over it if the field is clear of drowned. The hunters on the marshes wonderful recuperative power, prolongsnow, and then, again, the seed is some- bave various methods of ensuaring ing life when a patient has begun to times sown over the snow, upon which the animal. One way is to place a t remains until the snow melts, and the lead trap in one of their burrows. him time to arrange his affairs. The muskrat is not very cunning Farmers who contemplate sowing as regards snares, and he falls a prey drugs I should perhaps have spoken of grass-seed over the wheat should en- easily. These traps sometimes catch ambergris, a deposit of gravish matter,

deavor to first harrow the field before sowing the seed. The advantages are that the yield of wheat will be increased by spring harrowing, while the appears to the solution of the seed. The advantages are plan is rather a cruel one. The hunter arms himself with a weapon consisting thirty dollars an onnee at retail. It is by spring harrowing, while the amount of a stout handle, from which extend said that one whaler found a deposit of of grass-seed required for an acre may be lessened. If the ground is uneven, and thrown up by the frost, pass the roller over the field after sowing the grass-seed, and the field will be smoothed, the wheat benefited and the seed all, is a breech-loading shot-gun, with two or three dozen shells loaded with coarse shot and plenty of powder to tains very little ergotin, less, indeed, scatter them well and drive them home. I than the smut on Indian corn. As selected more at variance in regard to Frequently on these marshes the old there are several growths which yield hunters shoot by sound, as the muskrat ergotin in a greater or less degree, can not always be seen. They have, there are several South American plant too, a way of calling them out by imitating their noises. The best time for used sometimes to produce sweating. shooting is from just before daybreak must be overripe or the clover not fully to sunrise. The evening is generally product of the Calabar bean may be matured. Orchard grass is suggested more convenient, but the muskrats are mentioned. Physostigmine, which is

WHAT HE GOT BY IT.

howing That It Is Not Good Policy t Doubt a Good Man's Word. "Come mighty nigh killin" a fine buck dis mawnin'," said an old negro. "Comin' long through de woods an' er ole buck he jump up an' bookerty,

"Why didn't you shoot?" "Didu' hab my gun wid me, sah." "Then how did you come within one of shooting him?" "Case, sah, I come in one o' takin' my gun wid me.

"Why didn't you take your gun?" "Didn' hab none, sah. "You are an old fool. 'Look heah, doan 'buse er man dat potash, and the next best is lime. A mixture of wood ashes and time answers, but the cheapest mode is the use of the commercial sulphate of potash (kainit). If the grass seed is sown in the fall, after the dry season has passed, there will be no necessity for sowing it on a grain field. On pastures a small proportion of different grass and clover, though for the proportion of different grass and clover, though for the proportion of different grass and clover, though for the proportion of different grass and clover, though for the proportion of different grass and clover, though for the proportion of different grass and clover, though for sowing it on a grain field. On pastures a small proportion of different grass and clover, though for the proportion of different grass and clover, potash, and the next best is lime. A way when yer ain' got no cause. I ain't worl' o' scieace an' speckerlation. Good clover and sweet vernal grass. As mawnia', sah. Since yer's acted dis

A Valuable Hint.

"I am looking for some present to unrelenting. He was an old bachelor, Curiously enough, the term "hired give my wife on her birthday. I tell too, and so far as is known never had tender feeling toward woman or kin. He had lived a life solitary and abso-

the hired man is brought continually she gave me the twenty-dollar piece laugh at it even as I laugh at you.

Takes Him to Task. "I see," said an Englishman, "that lar of our deposits shall be withdrawn.

QUEER AND COSTLY DRUGS.

A White Powder Worth \$300 an Onnce-A doctor from one of the Western

is useful as well as ornamental. It is of the state of hair, very soft and warm, dark brown on top, and rather lighter believed to be some great ornamental. It is drug, because they can charge a fancy price for it. I quote it at over three dollars an ounce. low. He is a good feeder, and his bill "A well-stocked drug store must be

ordinary opiates until they seemed to when I noticed in the papers some won-

treat this animal was either to toast it seng root as sacred to the healing royalty, and as a spiritual body, capal Muskrat hunting on mill-ponds, how- of volition and of concealing itself to t sloon and it 'In mentioning animal products a

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wasn't it? In medicine it is a queer

lar thing for a dector to prescribe,

vomen."

"Ob, you do, do you?" replied a bluff see fit. but for the bet, fit or wothat, I be women. old gentleman, an officer of one of the | you will. railroads; every time I hear a young man talk as you do I feel like telling a little incident that once came under my railroads; every time I hear a young little incident that once came under my notice in New York City. A party of us set in a box; 'Hazel Kirke' was the play. None of us had ever seen it. I taformatica for women. If will be mailed shed a tear or two quietly and unob-served, but rough old General McRae "What are you buying now?" asked Ned Stevenson of Andrew Powell, on of a Georgia railroad then, and in New meeting the latter in Bell's jewelry York on business. He was a regular lutely unsentimental. We were all sur-

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